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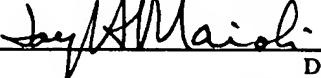
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For : RECORDING MEDIUM, RECORDING METHOD OF RECORDING MEDIUM, RECORDING AND/OR REPRODUCING METHOD OF RECORDING MEDIUM, AND DATA COPY CONTROL METHOD

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner of Patents
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Sir:

Prior to the initial examination of the above-identified application, Applicants respectfully request that the application be amended as follows:

IN THE ABSTRACT

Please amend the abstract by rewriting same to read as follows.

--A recording medium in which a plurality of management information are embedded and recorded into data of contents in

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

No fee is required.

The fee has been calculated as shown below.

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This Response is being filed within the _____ first month, _____ second month, _____ third month, _____ fourth month, _____ fifth month following the expiration of the term originally set therefor. Applicants Petition for an extension, and the fee of _____ \$110 (\$55), _____ \$400 (\$200), _____ \$920 (\$460), _____ \$1,440 (\$720), _____ \$1,960 (\$980) is due and paid herewith.

The fee of \$_____ set by 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(p) for the Information Disclosure Statement is due and paid herewith.

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